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## DOLLAR BOATS.

SHIPPING BOARD REJECTS

(Associated Press.)

Washington, Dec. 1.

President Crowley of the Emer magnificent & gency Fleet Corporation to-day Christmas • recommended the rejection of R. Crackers, one blo, for Xmas . Stanley Dollar's offer for the Shipby the Admiral-Oriental Line. \* -Dollar, Steamship Company to Electric Co., Ltd. I charter the ships at a monthly ! end of a five-year period to pur-

ed that new bids on a competitive taken up 15,000; the directors, the as "the child father to the man" hard-ome red cracker hasis be invited and if none proves | Hon. Sir Paul Chater, the Hon. and "among my books," satisfactory the line should be Mr. P. H. Holyoak, the Hon. Mr. taken from the Dollar interests. o Chow Shou-son. the Hon. Mr. titles were set in any University Dollar prices offered were in- Father Robert, Mr. R. G. Shewan, templated. The enquiries have adequate and that the bid lacked Mr. J. Scott Harston and Mr. J. H. been set afoot to get at the source day. 12 Mauve or okers contain- | sufficient guarantees in the way | Taggart, have each taken up of the rumours and to prevent the ing comical laces, caps, and a bond for the maintenance of 10,000 shares, making a total in recurrence of such.

President Crowley's views Stanley ranking for dividend from July 1, Dollar will consult his associates 1925, 140,000 shares have been EX-CANTON OFFICIAL DU Contains 1 doz. crackers & further. Crowley also held that allotted to the old company. The assorted. Red and yellow the Admiral-Oriental Line was as remaining 250,000 shares are now profitable as the Pan-American offered for subscription. The Line which recently was sold to shares allotted to the directors and ; the Munson Steamship Company promoters are on the same terms. for \$1,026,000 per ship, and he be- his those now offered in the proslieved the Admiral-Oriental Line spectus. Iships should bring the same.

Oriental Line to another operator | vary 1, 1926. A sum of \$3.50 per settlement. feeling that a monopoly is object being \$2.50 as to a quarter of the former Finance Minister) is due

Washington, Dec. 3. Board to-day rejected the bid of required. R. Stanley Dollar for the yessels operated by the Admiral-Oriental company is authorised by ordin- visit Canton is almost complete Line between Seattle and the Far ance to charge rates which guar- and the unofficial mission may price which they had to pay given against the Union, states the East, in accordance with the re- antee a minimum dividend of 8 per leave shortly. Vernacular news in open market for the oil. A box containing six Crack. | commendation of President cent. The maximum dividend is that the projected tour isn'iew- Mr. A. el Arculli was for the Hongkong Unions' Distress.

> Note:-The local office have had no information of this what-

## SIGN OF TIMES.

AMERICA'S REPUBLICAN SPEAKER.

POLITICAL STRUGGLES

(Router's American Service.)

Washington, Dec. 8. The preponderance of regular Republicans in the House of Representatives is demonstrated worth as Speaker, also by the



adoption of the Rules of the House in spite of the combined opposition of the Democrats and

Republican insurgents. The vote on the adoption of the rules was 208 to 196. LOWER TAXATION.

Washington, Dec. 7. Before the adjournment of the House of Representatives, there was placed at the head of the agenda the Tax Reduction Bilt; \$326,000 of which \$194,000 represents the telief from income

## TO DAY'S DOLLAR.

demand, to-day was 2/4 7/16. Farmers Parties.

## TELEPHONE CO.

EXCELLENT HONGKONG INVESTMENT.

As will be seen in an adverday of the year.

the Hongkong undertaking of the the matter.

chase the ships at \$600,000 each. moters, the Hon. Sir Paul Chater all of 110,000 shares.

If the Shipping Board accepts | Credited as fully paid-up and

The re-allocation of the Admiral- rank for dividend as from Jan, towards negotiation for strike was suggested because of the share is payable on application, Mr. Yeung Sai-ngaam (the nominal value and \$1 premium. back here to-day but it is insist-The balance of \$7.50 will be called ed that he is not vested with any The United States Shipping up when subsequent capital is office.

ers and six small fancy, hats Crowley of the Emergency Fleet payable to shareholders is 15 per ed with much satisfaction by both Chinese dealer and Mr. H. L. Rumours have been current

## LOVE'S SEQUEL.

FOSTER MOTHER ROBBED OF \$1,500.

STRANGER GETS THE MONEY.

Before Mr R. E. Lindsell at the Central Magistracy this morning, a Chinese girl was charged with stealing a sum of money belonging to her foster-mother.

It was stated by the prosecution that the girl made the acquaintance of a young man with whom! she had frequent meetings at Fung Wong Terrace, Wanchai, by the election of Mr. N. Long. since the beginning of November. The girl was alleged to have stolen money from time to time and handed it to the young man the box in which she had kept her via Soviet Russia. savings it was found that a sum mother only once at a tea-house ania and Poland. and he had not been traced since the matter was reported to the

The foster-mother, an elderly woman, informed the Magistrate Paris will take a fortnight that she did not desire the girl to be sent to prison and was willing to take her back

After a few words of advice to the girl, who repented for what she had done, His Worship bound her over on a sum of \$50 to come up for judgment when called upon at any time.

## HEATED DEBATE.

BOUNDARY AGREEMENT OPPOSED.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, Dec. 7. The Dail, after a heated dis cussion, adjourned the debate on President Cosgrave's motion on reducing next year's revenue by the second reading of the Bill ratifying the Irish Agreement, although the motion of President Cosgrave to suspend the standing Orders so as to enable the second reading to be taken to night has carried by 76 votes to 58 against The closing rate of the dollar, the opposition of the Labour and

## FALSE CONTENTS.

UNIVERSITY PAPERS NOT

In the Chinese papers this tisement in the "China Mail," the morning appear statements that subscription list of the new last minute alter vious were made Hongkong Telephone Co., Ltd., in examination papers owing to opens: on Tuesday, December 15, information of their contents havand closes on or before the last ing leaked out and that two masters of Chinese schools have Local investors are given an op- been asked to sattend at Free Caldren's Parties, ping Board vessels being operated portunity of taking up shares in offices of the Criminal Intelligence Shun Cheong, had claimed that he Dinner Pure Carnivals, etc. between Seattle and the Far East the concern formed to take over Department in connection with had performed his part of the

> Dollar offered in behalf of the China and Japan Telephone and What actually occurred was that Hambbal and Co. the University authorities had de-The capital is \$5,000,000 divided finite information that informarental of \$1,000 each and at the into 500,000 shares of \$10 each. Ition purporting to be the contents Of these shares the two pro- of papers had been divulged. The ititles of the essays to be set in President Crowley recommend- and Mr. J. H. Taggart have each that examination had been given

As a matter of fact no: such President Crowley held that the R. H. Kotewall, the very Rev. examination nor were they con-

## PEACE MISSION.

10-DAY.

THE HONGKONG "TOURISTS."

A series of reports continue to reach Hongkong from Canton, in the absence of official intelligence. The shares to be taken up will regarding the preliminary moves

Registration of hames for in-According to the schedule the clusion in Hongkong's party to the Political Council and the Dennys for Hannibal and Co. labour executives.

In view of the contradictory nature of the news it seems likely that the next move will be decided when General Cheung Kaishek returns to Canton: He is still stated to the in the East River area directing reorganisation. Last week be reviewed the

troops at Chinghai.

Meanwhile the merchant and labour bodies are still discussing the basis of representation at the proposed negotiations.

## FROM FAR EAST.

THROUGH ROUTE ACROSS SIBERIA.

(Reuter's Service.)

Moscow, Dec. 7. The international railway conwho taid her that he was using the ference has opened to discuss the money for medical expenses problem of through traffic from When the foster-mother opened the Far East to Western Europe

The conference is attended by fuctance of householders of smallof \$1,500 was missing. The representatives of the Soviet er houses to afford potential means stranger who received the money Government, France, Germany, had been seen by the foster- Japan, Latvia, Esthonia, Lithu-

The proposed through route will cover about 8,750 miles and will be the longest in the world. The journey from Tokio to

## WIRELESS STRIKE.

SHIPS SAIL WITHOUT OPERATORS.

(Reuter's Service.) London, Dec. 7.

"In the House of Commons. Sir Phillip Cunliffe Lister stated that reports from the principal ports showed that up to the evening of December 4, 25 passenger and 124 cargo ships had left without wireless apparatus. The number of passengers,

affected was unavailable. The Association of Wireless and Cable Telegraphists claims that over 100 operators have sined in the strike

## OBITUARY.

(Reuter's American Service.

New York, Dec. 7.

## CLAIMS DISMISSED.

HANNIBAL & CO. AND CHINESE DEALER.

NO ESTABLISHED CRITERION.

The arrival of aniseed oil from Cyangsi in kerosine tins, on the day of expiry of the contract was held by Mr. Justice Wood in the Supreme Court this morning not to constitute their delivery ready

for re-shipment. The dealer in question, Kung contract for such supply to W. A.

"Hannibal and Co. had refused to take delivery as they claimed the goods were supplied too late and to meet their obligations elsewhere they had had to buy in the open market. To re-ship it would have been necessary for the oil to be re-packed in drums and this could not be done that day. They had valled that day earlier and could not be given a definite guarantee that the goods would arrive that

#### A Pencil Note.

With regard to the actual contract there had been discussion with regard to a pencilled note in the dealer's handwriting. This had been made at the request of Hannibal and Co. for a definite day of arrival, and the dealer held that Swatow has gone too far and has it was merely to give an ap-laccordingly been stripped of its proximate time and not to bind power to use wespons and him in any way.

find no reported case, in which Yat Po." the Court had been asked to find | Various charges were laid that a signature of one contract against the pickets controlled by stituted a sufficient guarantee to of "squeeze" in sums of \$25 each an entirely new contract."

livery was therefore dismissed as to arrest, etc. and so also was Hannibal and Co.'s After a protracted hearing at claim for the excess over contract the Mayor's yamen a decision was

## FIRE ESCAPES.

SHOULD THERE BE MORE STATIONS?

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SUGGESTION.

Approached by a "China Mail" epresentative this morning with spective owners had to resort to regard to the wording of the action. Ordinance which limits the powers 40 feet above the ground, the Hon. General, pointed out certain difficulties which would be encountered if the scope of the law were

extended." Practically the only alternative which presented itself was the obligatory erection of steel ladders and here there was a very obvious difficulty in the shape of the reof entry to robbers. The diff ficulty with regard to having a rope ladder would be that it would never be kept complete or in good condition.

An the Ordinance read at present. Hears under the height of 40 feet were presumably thought to be within reach of ladders or case at this time last year (1,498 ropes, but the Attorney-General admitted the seriousness of the case of entrapped dwellers and thought something in the nature from the water authority's notice, of a solution might be the provision of more fire escapes, and

## EMIGRATION.

FORTY-FIVE: NATIONS CONFER

(Reuter's Service.)

Rome, Dec. 7. Rome Conference of 1924.

Premier, Myssolini, in welcomling the oclegates, extolled the work of the Rome Conference. prominently drawing attention to The death is amponced of Mr. | the problems of emigration Percival Smith Hill President of which the war had is ven excepthe American Tobacco Company, tional importance.

## RUSH FOR SHARES.

RUBBER'S SOARING PRICES.

LONDON EXCITEMENT.

(Reuter's Service.).

London, Dec. 7 The Stock Exchange excitement in rubber shares is more

acute than ever: This, morning's business snowed a large accumulation of orders. together with firmness of the commodity causing a wild rush for shares at soaring prices. WILD EXCITEMENT.

There was wild excitement in the rubber market, yesterday owing to the accumulation of week-end orders. Subsequently profit taking occurred in some directions, and final quotations were below the best, but the rone was confident.

#### UNIONS CLOSED.

TURBULENT SEAMEN AT SWATOW.

🧭 CANTON PARTY ACTS.

That the Seamen's Union at uniforms is the gist of part of a Mr. Justice Wood said he could special message to the "Wah Tsz

which had been abandoned con-the Union, including the levying on passengers for Hongkong and The claim of the dealer that he \$2,500 each for permission for was entitled to damages for Hami. ships to discharge cargo, usurping bal and Ca's refusal to take de- the power of the civil authorities

report.

among the Chinese as to the reason for the closing of a number of local labour unions in Hongkong. It has transpired that landlords of premises occupied by 27 labour

guilds have taken "out distress warrants for arrears of rent. When the strike began the majority of guilds were left in the hands of a "boy" or coolie. After several months the rent began to accumulate and the re-

In most of the guilds affected of enforcing alternative methods the furniture, and fixtures have egress from a building been auctioned under authority; in case of fire to floors more than One result is that "Paddy's Market" is now plentifully stocked Mr. J. H. Kemp, K.C., Attorney- with union signboards, photographs of guild presidents and

> other paraphernalia. Among the best known unionsthus affected are the Chinese Seamen's Union, the two rederations of local unions and nearly all the guilds for domestic and/or office servants of European employers.

## SAVING WATER.

LIMITATION OF RIDER MAIN SUPPLY.

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES.

There is considerably less water in storage to-day than was the million gallons as compared with 1,749 million last year) so certain measures, as will be seen have been deemed necessary as a

precaution. Instead of a full 24-hour supply, those who get their supply from the rider mains at the expense of the rates will have to be content with a two-hour supply until further notice. To householders who pay for the water in excess which they consume there will be no

There is no acute shortage but as nothing definite can be predicted with regard to future rain Forty-five nations are repre- supplies (no heavy fall sometimes) sented on the committee of the literperiod for a very ofheider.
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Tokyo Bill Clearings.

A marked increase in credit ransactions was noticed on the. The uncertainty of the market Japanese money market for Octo- has prevented any development in ber, as a result of favourable pro- trade, buyers preferring to hold gress of financial readjustment, as off notwithstanding a certain compared with a year before. 'No amount of recovery in futures especially large increase was ob- state Mesers. J. F. Hutton & Co., served in the amount of advances Ltd. There are plenty of en and the issue of convertible note, quiries, but comparatively little

The month-end balance of ad- enquiries must be only feelers so vances by the Bank of Japan to- as to keep in touch with the mar talled Y411,000,000, and the issue ket. Whenever bulk quantity is amount of convertible notes was offered the limits are such as to Y1,333,000,000, showing no re- make quite sure no business wil markable change in the amount result. The slight improvement compared with a year before. On yesterday has not had any benethe other hand, the average daily ficial effect in the way of stimulatamount of clavings of bills in ling bookings. There has certainly Tokyo for October totalled been a trifle more done, but noth-Y126,500,000 in large increase of ling in the way of quantity. about Y23,000,000 over a year shall have to wait until more before. This year's discount rate confidence prevails, meanwhile is about 3 rin lower than last year. buyers move slowly, possibly the

\$4,000,000 DOCK PLAN.

Big Port of London Improvement.

The Park of London Authority of grey shirtings are asked for announced lat month that the from Calcutta and Bombay. Fair Government had agreed to grant quantities of light cloths are also financial help for improvement reported and further lots are unschemes at the Tilbury and West | der enquiry. China is more or India and Millwall Docks.

An official of the Port of Lon-lenquired for. Since the begindon Authority told a reporter that ning of October American has the works will take three or four dropped 2d per lb: and Egyptian years to complete and will cost 8 2/2d. per lb. with this state of about \$4,000,000; .. The cost to the affairs, a revival in business can-Government will be about not be expected. The demand for \$1,000,000 a year for 15 years. the Home trade, Continent and A great new floating crane Colonies continues fairly healthy. capable of lifting 150 tons and Rather more has been done re-

costing £100,000 was ordered by cently for Egypt. South America the Port of London Authority is not troubling to any great exfrom Cowang Sheldon & Co., Ltd., tent. In short it would appear I that the large consuming markets railway plant manufacturers, Victoria-street, Westminster.

## "LUXURY LIST."

The following is a list known as the "Luxury List" Chinese delegates to the Customs Conference propose shall bear import duty at the rate of 20 per cent. 'Silk goods; Wool and woollen-

goods: Flax, hemp and jute goods:

sales have been reported for the Fine cotton goods; Silk, wool, flax, hemp, cotton mixtures; Leather and skinse (furs and of) and manufactures thereof; Sugar and articles containing sugar; Fish and ashery products; Beverages; Comestibles of superior quality; have been received at the Ameri-Papers of particular kinds; Wood- | can Consulate-General, Shanghai. ware and scented wood; India rub- from American business houses her and manufactures thereof; desiring to be placed in communi-Phonographs, gramophones, musi- cation with local firms for the cal instruments and accessories purposes indicated. Further parthereof; Electric material; Cine-ticulars may be obtained by applimatographe and accessories there-leation to that office, supplying of: Toys and games; Articles of litem number. decoration; Toilet requisites; In- No. 89. Horse Clipping and digo. vegetable and artificial; Sheep Shearing Machinery, Lawn Chinaware and enamelled ware; Sprinklers and Electric Irons. A Drugs; Medicines; Feathers; Chicago manufacturer is desirous Hair; Sinews; Tusks and manu-of, securing representation factures thereof; Pearls; Jade Shanghai. (File No. 866.12). stones; Precious stones and manu- No. 95. Internal Combustion factures thereof; Vehicles (ex-Engines. A manufacturer in sluding touring motor cars) 'Arms | Kansas City: Missouri, desires a and "munitions; Mats, "matting; representative to handle his pro-Keelung, Bokoto, Nanto, Shin- and Carpets; Fans; Umbrellas ducts in Schiku, Taichu, Tainan, Takao, and sunshades; Clocks, watches 866:13). and Carpets; Fans; Umbrellas ducts in Shanghai. (File No. and mecassories thereof; Lacquer No. 96., Paper Bags. A New and lacquered ware; Tobacconists | York manufacturer is desirous of sundries; Household articles of securing an agent to handle his Socrabaya, Semarang, Batavia, metal manufacture; Glass and line of paper bags, wrapping glassware; Photographic appara- paper, et cetera, in Shanghai. tus and materials; Celluloid mir- (File No. 610.1/866.13). rors, plate glass mirror frames No. 97. Animal and Wool and moulding; Soap; Trunk and Waste. A New York firm will act suitcases; Imitation leather and as shippers agent for the sale of gilcloth: Safes and strongroom fur; bones, horns, hoofs, hair, doors; Flasks; Stoves, grates and feathers, leather scrap, fish scrap, teamheaters.

> Relaxation is expected to come in the Tokyo money market for November, judged from prevailing circumstances. It is expected that funds advanced to rural communities last Spring for silk and agricultural enterprise will be refunded to banks in November.
> This year's loan advances for sariculture are unusually large ducts on the Shanghai market. since this year's silk business is .... 380.000.000.00 exceptionally prosperous: Also, leading hanks will prepare for the yenr-end capital and concentrate manufacturer in Michigan is detheir energy on refunding much birous of securing a Shanghai re-

more than advances. All these facts taken into consideration, the money market for November will relax largely more especially in Tokyo, where idle money will flood the market, it is

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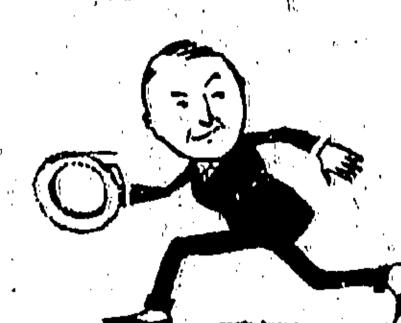
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## THE MARRIAGE VOW.

BRIDES MUST SAY "OBEY.

A BISHOP'S VIEWS.

comment of an American newspaper on my protest against eliminating the word "obey" from the marriage service of the Prayer Book (says the Rt. Rev. Irving P. Johnson, D.D., Bishop o. Colorado, U.S., in the "Evening |

News." This comment reminds me the recent attitude of an Pmperial Covernment toward written

Trace is nothing in a word there is no conscience or character back of the word.

It is evident to the most casua thinker that the presence of a word in or out of the marriage ceremony will not and cannot become a panacea for the offences against the sacred contract of naturianony committed by those who will apromise anything secure something they think that

they want. set standard for its members, not o furnish panaceas for society; and the standards so set must be those which are reall as against the sentimental theories of femimists, agnostics, and socialists in their emort to substitute fancies nor readities.

The proposition is not "Shall, marriage ceremony?" but whether out of a relationship in which no why. To take it out implies that made. there is an unationess in the word to describe the fact.

the family is an ancient institu- bystanders and self-indulgent tiom flounded upon certain prin- parents may violate the laws of ciples that are inherent in society. God with an easier conscience and which cannot be eliminated than before. from the social order by legisla-

THE HEAD OF THE HERD. When you show me a cow-

family... absence of that idea will turn the should not marry at all,

society. her husband she does not impain have authority to change them.

or in an endurance testa may frequently be as utterly un- no legislature can put asunder ... fitted to be the head of the family as were many colonels in the late war unfitted to preside over their rather to the more careful in the that sweetheart of yours."

selection of colonels. In the same way the remedy for man sadly. the unfitness of some husbands is not to change the status of all Jack sympathetically. "Have you are men who will do as he did." husbands, but to exhort young had a diff?" women to be more careful in

rights and in the correction of ever, and she told me to go." woman's wrongs, but I do not tionship is the way in which to cure the wrongs that the individual woman may discover in the system.

Modernism may have done | many things to elevate the race, but I see nothing in modernwomen or modern families which gives them the right to assume that they are an improvement. in the single particular of home life upon their forebears. In fact, the one thing that has actually suffered most under modernism is the family.

In America they have changed home into a lodging-house and the family circle into a cafeteria, and their assumption that heories are justified by the culture of those who proposed them must submit to the acid test of experiment.

SOLDIERS OBEY!

I see nothing in the influence of niodernism on the home to make me feel that their jejune theories can take the place of universal tradition as to the place of the man in the family. When you have advanced woman to that position, you have not glorified the woman and you have debased the man, because God made man to be the head of the family, and you can no more alter the will of God in the social order than you can change the laws of biology to suit your fancy.

## STOPS CROUP.

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Of course, in the ideal marriage the man and woman are companions, and they will neither pro-

fit nor lose by the injection of "obey" into the contract. That is equally true of any contract. Between gentlemen no contract is necessary. The purpose of the word "obey" in the marriage service is simply to set a standard which the Church believes to be a law of God. To take the word out is to infer that the children are wiser than their Heavenly Father in their assumption that this relationship is not ideal.

The word "obey" connoted no servility. We obey the civil authorities without debasing our Children show their breeding by their obedience parents... Swidiers are judged by their capacity to obey.

"Wives! obey your husband is merely a statement of ansideal relationship, and in no wise degrades the wife nor confers upon the husband any arrogant or despotic power.

Iff he loves, honours, and cherishes her she will find her greatest joy in following his lendership. If he does not love, hanour, nor cherish her, the mess will not be remedied by her as-"The mission of the Church is to sumption of a leadership which frurther degrades him and does not elevate her. It is the utmost folly to suppose that a matural relationship can be mended mereby by inviting a hopeless muddle:

GOD'S LAW. The only effect of deleting the word "obey" from the marriage service with be to make sell-pity the word 'oney' be inserted in the a virtue and divorce an easy way it shall be taken our and, if so, binding obligations have been

It means that marriage is tanexperimental tragedy in which ! What is the fact? It is that helpless children are the innocent le

The laws of God were never enactment or pictistic | made to enable selfish people findulge their selfishness with timl punity, o

Those only really object to the moose at the head of the herd I word "obey" who lack confidence will concede that woman is na- in the leadership of him whom turally fitted to be the head of the they elect to marry! Any other very idea of obedience, and the marry is really a reason why she

family into a perpetual debating | Every game should be played according to the rules. We may When a woman is asked to obey change the rules only when we the glory of her womanhood, but The game of married life is one enhances it. In the family con-lithau must be played according to poration either man is the head those rules of human relationship Christian charity, counsel said: . el the disease, and died within a or else it is presided over by a which are inherent in the sexes. Committee of two, which has no and which cease only in that the character of Mark Sabre in In the same year the Liverpool way of determining a majority | heavenly, kingdom where convolle except in the divorce court [tractual relationships give" way to celestial fellowship.

regiments, but the remedy of this night," remarked Jack, as he met everybody thought there could be part both of civilians and of the unfitness is not to give authority a friend in the station." "I wish only one motive to induce him to medical profession. Two private to the head sergeant of a company you could come with me; but I when the colonel is unfit, but suppose you are going out with the doctrines of the man of the their services for experimental

"Well, I don't know if you'd call the crown. their selection of life leadership. | it just a tiff. But last time we

believe headship of the family is party in several of the modern en- prietress for the loan of an alarm him, had a harp attack of yellow one of her rights, nor that chang- gagements, which are not un- ciock.

with a piece of advice.

SHORT DRESSES.

WHEN FASHION IS

"Parisiennes have such good aste in the art of dressing that am obliged to let many enter he Notre Dame wearing dresses inches shorter in length than would permit if I stopped and measured them at the doorway, said Cardinal Dubois, Archbishop of Paris, commenting on the Pope's decree to the effect that women indecently dressed should

"Fashion is only the mos popular way of expressing art God is the Friend of all rea artists." Heaven forbid that the Archbishop should have to tel Parisiennes that they must not follow fashions. I have a preference for the old time dresses but we are not living in an age of draperies."

not be admitted to sacraments.

The Archbishop added that bobbed hair was a sign of the times ind it was not a sin.

"I am very sorry for the masculine modern girl, desiring resemble man. Thereby she loses all her charms"

Parisiennes welcoming Archbishop's declaration as way round the Vatican's warning, point out that most women prefer to follow the decrees of the Fashion Kings of the Rue de la Paix rather than the Pope's.

" IF WINTER COMES."

CRÉED IN A PERJURY TRIAL.

Old Bailey in mail week of Edul rays when the necessary preward bawrence Patrick O'Toole, cautions were not clearly undernged 5d, school-master, of Dudley stood. Despite the pain caused wednesday, 6th January, 1926, Flouse, bee, on a charge of per-liby the burns and the fact that his jury in the High Court. It was | constitution was seriously underpostponed, from last Sessions mined owing to the constant exlowing to the illness of O'Toole, posure to the rays, he never after the evidence had been com-shirked his obligations, and died

a denial by O'Thole, during the vice to the hospital, heaving of a slander action, that objection is merely academic, and he had been intimate with Miss The family is based upon the the object of the one about to Howard, who had sworn that he children.

> addressed the jury for O'Toole, Howard by adopting her first previously bitten a person sufferchild through motives of pity and ling with yellow fever, contract-

"Many of you may remember few days, mother took her into his own house, and kept her there even "I'm going to the theatre to- though his wife left him and work there was heroism on the act in that way. "According to soldiers, for instance, volunteered "No. I'm not," replied the other story, but if you have read the danger and probable suffering inbook you believe it, and believe it "What's the trouble?" asked true of human nature that there stipulation that they should re-

fully believe in woman's met I said I was leaving her for A traveller staying at a small fully, "Gentleman, I salute you." hotel wished to cutch an early One of the soldiers, who allowed

ing the status of the family rela- breakable. So he came forward | She produced the clock, and re- ment demonstrated that marked: "We don't often use it, scourge of the tropics "Now, look here," he said, "if sir, and sometimes it sticks a bit, carried by the mosquito. you're any man at all, you'll stay but if it doesn't go off just touch away from her for at least two that little hammer, and it'll ring all right."



William Grady, Alaskan "sourdough," who first discovered nuggets in Gold Pun Creek, British Columbia, nonchalantly exhibited about \$10,000 worth of dust and nuggets in a store.

MARTYRS OF SCIENCE.

vancement of science.

n the "Morning Post"), X-rays have perhaps claimed the greatest number of victims, and there has been case after case, both in this country, and abroad, where X-ray practitioners have suffered first mutilation and then death, as result" of their devotion to research work and to the interests of their patients. To enumerate the list of X-ray martyrs would be tedious. In this connection the experience of St. Thomas's Hospital is significant of what has occurred throughout the hospitals of the country.

tered the hospital as a student in 1879, was one of the pioneers in introducing the X-rays into hospital practice, and it was his work, done in a small basement, that led the Governors to create the new department where the work is now being carried on. He was operated on again and again, and eventually died from septicæmia caused through the rays.

Sir Archibald Reid joined the hospital staff in 1912 to take charge of the X-ray work. He was a keen enthusiast, and when he came to St. Thomas's his fingers were already slightly damaged The trial was resumed at the as a result of work done with the as a direct result of his work in The alleged perjany consisted of [ 1924, after only twelve years' ser-

was the father of her three book its tolk of human life, after Sir 'Ronald Ross had' definitely Mr. A. S. Comyns Carr, K.C., proved how malaria was transmitted by the mosquito. Dr. Dealing with O'Toole's state- Lazear permitted himself to be ment that he had befriended Miss bitten by a mosquito which had

'Ill Winter Comes," He was a School of Tropical Medicine sent man who, in the face of incredults | Dr. A. T. Durham and Dr. Walter iv of his own wife his partners, Myers to Para to study yellow It is freely conceded that man What God hath joined together, and his friends, befriended a girl fever in that country. Both be- are requested to apply to the Hon. in distress and about to become a came infected, and Dr. Myers died Secretary, Mr. T. K. LAU, Morrison of fever.

> African diseases have claimed victims from among those conducting research upon them, and in 1907 Dr. Tulloch, working at a time when it was believed that sleeping sickness could not contracted by white men died from it in the course of his investigations.

> > STRIKING CASES.

pre-eminent as an expérimenter Institution, sodium and potassium who defied personal risks. He were isolated, Napoleon was furideliberately infected himself with our that the discovery had not venereal disease and allowed it to been made by a Frenchman. run its course for a long period ing it down with mercury. Frenchmen of science had not a

X-RAY DEATHS.

SOME NOTABLE EXAMPLES.

The death of Professor Maxwell Lefroy at St. George's Hospital adds one further name to the long list of those who have sacrificed their lives for the ad-In recent years (says a writer

Dr. A. Barry Blacker, who en-

The conquest of yellow fever

. In connection with yellow fever world, you could not believe that purposes though warned of the volved. Both of them made the ceive no pecuniary reward, and Mr. Gerald Dodson replied for Dr. Reed, who was in charge of the research expedition, touched his cap to them and said respect-Jack had been the principal morning train; and asked the pro- the infected mosquitoes to bite fever but the crucial experi-

experimentation.

study of the pathology of the the current, took the shock, and tissues, and died at thirty, almost left the laboratory without saycertainly lost his life as a result ing a word. of being directly infected in the course of his investigations. On July 8, 1802, he was examining. Professor Lefroy's death is a some macerated tissues which disaster to the cause of applied were in such an advanced state biology, but his memory would of putrefaction that the students best be served if the cause to were driven out of the laboratory which he devoted his life was by the odour. On the following premoted. Deaths occur month day he tried to resume his pro- after month solely because the fessional activities, but was solved principles for which he stood are cumbed to typhoid fever on July lived applied biology would have

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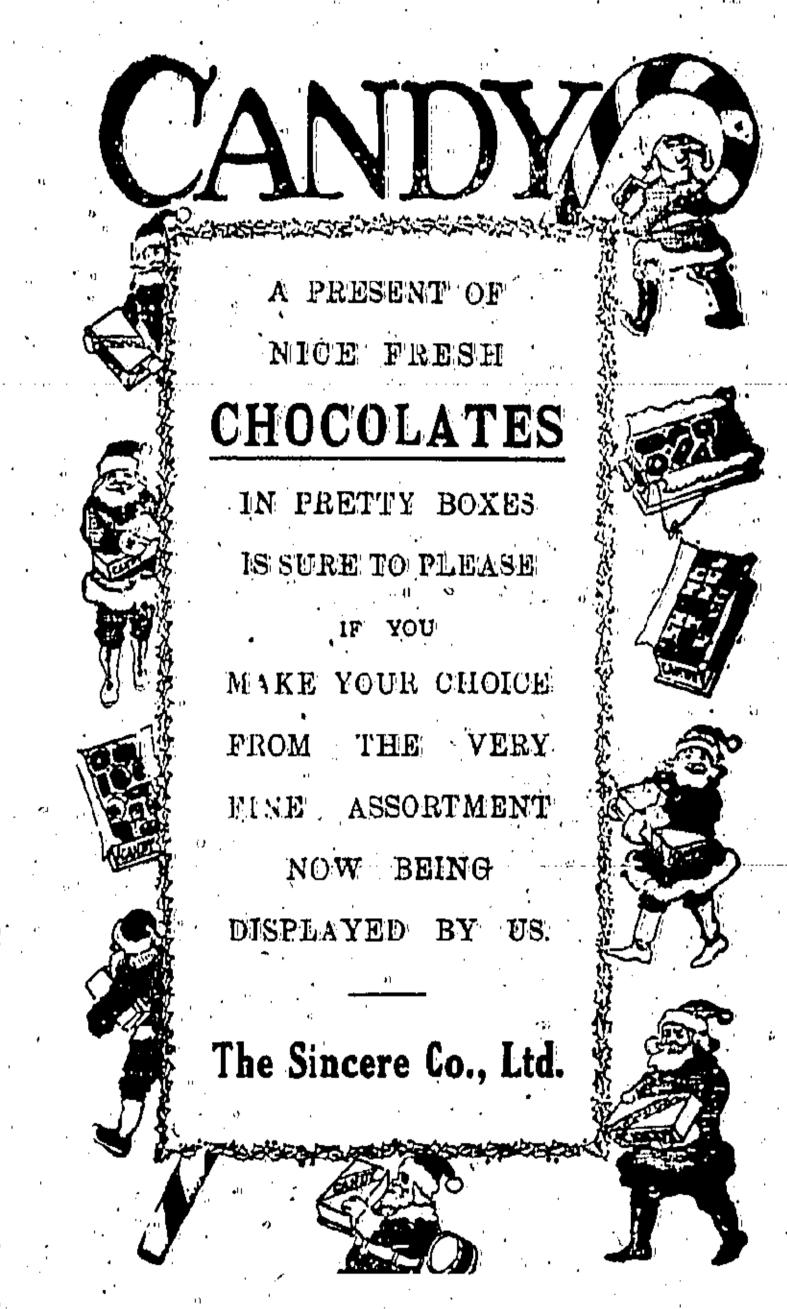
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| TAKADA"      | 6,945    | 24to Dec.   | Kobe                         |
| KHYBER.      | 9,114    | 1926        | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe.     |
| RICIEIA"     | 6,812    | 2nd Jan.    | Basaghal, Maji and Kobe      |
| M LLWA"      | 10,941   | 9th Jan.    | Shanghal, Moji and Kobs.     |
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| KARMALA"     | 9,128    | 23rd Jan.   | Shanghal, Mojl and Kobe      |
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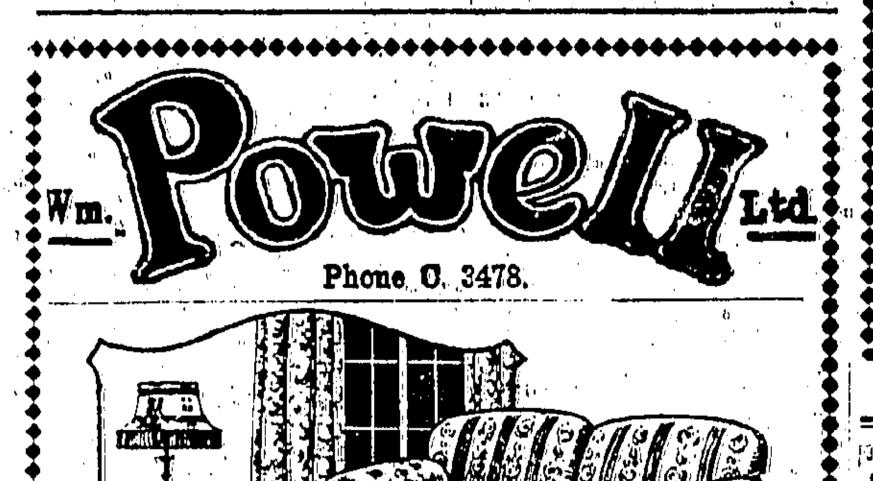
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TEACHING THE COOLIE.

The present Archbishop of York once advised the nation to keep its eye on the man with the cloth cap. He meant, of course, the working, man. If the Archbishop only knew him, he might urge us to keep our eyes on the Chinese coolie, who perhaps represents the great illiterate class of China. Hitherto this patient, persistent person has been left severely alone; Even his own people have negleted him under the impressionmistaken probably — that all he was interested in was rice and shelter. There is a movemen afoot—has been so for some years to with the men." particularly interested. Interested because one of her Chinese has a moin ment awaited son's is the originator and leader the person to have depicted P. T. Farrell and Inspector Clark. of the movement. He is notly a Hongkong-born young man. He came here, saw to justify the erroneous impres- Mrs. Glen, Capt. and Mrs. C. E. and conquered. There are not a sion conveyed by that expression Webb, Capt. Cumming, Messrs. P. few in Hongkong who remember which is as obscure of origin as T. Farrell, N. H. Bennett, T. W. Y. C. James Yen at St. Stephen's man of Borneo." Hongkong's Robertson and brother officers, T. College, to become later one of the connection with British North J. Dixon, Rev. G. T. Waldegrave, fairy has already married a Peer, occupied, would have assisted the "Nature's gentleman" readily describes James Yen's character and all that goes with it. His departure for America did not exactly financially interested in trade result in that forgetfulness which marks the going out of so many of North Borned which impelled a China S.N. Company, and the to be left in the cold, invites the us. Yen's ideal was service and it is good to read what he doing amongst the submerged of his own people. Yen saw war zervice in the coolie camps, and effected wonderful work amongst

unstinted interest of the coolies

Chinese vocabulary to a thousand noters from the Chinese Classics. was no mean feat: to get coolies we believe, spread to Hongkong, but little seems to be known of it. There were four night schools: in the Colony under the auspices: of the Chinese Y.M.C.A., with desire to learn. . The promoters, the first pathway to thinking. The that commerce." significance of this essentially Chinese mass education movement scems to be twofold. It offers a sceptical world evidence that; even in this distracted period China has within herself the power to organise her own inner promise that knowledge may soon, cratic possession. The Colony, the Rev. G. T. Waldegrave; with its large illiterate population, the "1,000 characters" method has become moribund, steps should be taken to revive it. For it will be a practical way of showing sympathy with those who, like the

lecture at the Helena May In- following: "Sorrowing Relatives," tion here by agents of the Chartered Company which administers tampy, Captain, Concers and Lord Chancehor downwer, with the true subtlety of the law, suggests money.

the territory, is limited to the Engineers, s.s. Kutsang, the true subtlety of the law, suggests money. there. However, there "China Mail" reporter to seek General Monagers, Indo-China S.N. an interview with the Hon. Company. Mountsfuart: Elphinstone, Managing Director of the Chartered Company responsible for the

poor, are always with us.

reads as romance. To limit the Hon. Mountstuart Elphinstone, turi fuel Router.

whe offices of Messis, Gibb. Livingston and Co., Ltd., the local

Mr. Elphinstone, of fine physique and sunburnt of countenance, might very well have been one whose life is spent in the open Frure to contradict the rumour facing continually threatening that a Little Bit of Fluff dangers such as these, but he was written either by a member hastened to disillusion the reporter, and smilingly assured him Revenue officer, or a Broker. that even in the interior one might almost expect "anything with the exception of cannibalism was along as safe lines as it was at Hongloong.

kong with North Borneo, Mr. and long after, all the women's as she had be Elphinstone said that the British parts on the stage were taken by once more. population here being more or men and boys. less together, much more could obviously be arranged in that direction in Hongkong, than could in the protectorate, but considering that there were only a matter of four hundred white people in North Borneo this side of life was quite well looked after.

the expression the wild man of of Borneo is not a bad type." to the numbers of orang outangs found there.

Of this far jungle land on the fringe of the China sea little is known save in the circle of those personally interested in it. As a rule it is pictured as a country of wild men, dense forests and Roxans in The Siege of Rhodes. pestilent fevers. The wild men, so authorities inform us, are to be found in the persons of peaceable and childlike natives and the forests are there but the climate is said to be, for the tropics, exof the most commonly-used char- ceptionally healthy. The drawback would appear to be in the absence of hill stations where the hard-working, the weary and interested must be admitted an worn-out may recuperate and the additional one. The movement, less hard-working, less weary. and less worm out may repair for

a pleasant holiday... Borneo owes much of its present comparative security to James Brooke who visited the students—we think the word can tion of wretchedness and anar-North Borneo may be said to. Board, and certainly of those who independent rulers of the eastern This tulmit that in being able to read is seas and to put an end to piracies which have hitherto obstructed

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Bennett, H. Miller, E. I. Merrett and C. R. Rothwell (of the sis: "Mausang"), Superintendent Cap. sentence at the bottom of a well. tains Kennedy and Skinner, Super-H. A. Houchen, R. Houre, J. B. Hamilton, J. Matthews Dixon, W. J. Stakes, Frazer, J. Thorburn, J. for them in Prof. Shellshear's Florai tributes were sent by the stitute, details of wild hairy men Mr. and Mrs. Thorburn, Mr. and

Moccow, December 7 -- Declared to be the largest of its kind in the Government of North Borneo, on world, the State electric power the occasion of a recent visit to station; nighty miles from Moscow, ploy the deadly blowpipe, our station, the tapacity of which representative remarked to the 65,000 horse power and which beans

## SHREDS AND PATCHES.

The Shreds man is able that a Little Bit of Fluff of the Legislative Council.

Chare Market, near Lincoln's he had feared and had innfield a district since swept endeavoured to fight against. Per away to make Kingsway and haps it was his very apprehension Aldwych—that the first actress ap—which had hastened it. "The idea most people get from took the part of Desdemons in the attempt" to hide his shame

Borneo' is quite a false one," said: The occasion was so notable seemed to him that the world Mr. Elphinstone in reply to that there was written for it another question... "The native prologue, to introduce the first woman that came to act on The derivation of the expression stage, in the tragedy called The was no doubt due, he remarked, Moor of Vonice. It was at this theatro, as he recalls in his diary, the stage. He makes mention, co. of another of the earliest actresses, whose name is not recorded, who attained celebrity in the part

> She became we "AN EARL'S known, also, by Mook Marriage, her sad experionce with Aubery Vere an earl of the days of Charles II. The earl leved her and persuaded her to marry him.

His presented himself at her lodgings, attlemated by a clergyman and another man as witness and the mannings was solemnised with all due ceremonies in the presence

of one of her fellow players. But, alia, for the unhappy The recent up- address, the marriage proved to be or headhunters, and life at places Condon's First permuter of the a mock one. The so-called prices such as Sankadan and Jesselton Aorrass. distinguished Chi- was but the earl's trumpeter. She nase actress raises pleaded before the King for redress. the question of when actresses but nothing was done beyond Asked if he would compare, first appeared on the English slage, granting her an annuity, and she say, the social activities of Hong- In Shakespeere's day, of course, returned to the stage, no counters and long after, all the women's as she had hoped, but only Rokana

It was, so far as old records ". At last it had come!

peared. This was on Saturday, "". Histlessly he slouched along, his December 8, 1660, when a woman cap pulled down over his eyes in from the crowd of onlookeds. It sround was full of jeering eyes and pointing fingers. He quickeffed his step, but how different from his jaunty air such a short time ago before he had met his

What of his boy, Jack, at school, that Peors first saw a woman on and so proud of his father? How would he be able to face his companions when he saw the disgrace of his ido blazoned forth in the newspapers?

How he had resolved to prevent this catastrophe! He had faced his fate squarely, had watched it approach, and every muscle and nerve tense, had endeavoured to turn it aside.

But no! It was not to be. The both had beaten him, and he crept. into the pavilion as the scorer registered "Last man. . . 0."

## "IOLANTHE."

PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY'S PRODUCTION.

island in 1840 and found the Hongkong has had the oppornorth and west coasts in a condi- tunity of seeing that most rightly be used from different chy. With ten of the English Fluff", which was so excellently, he joined with the Rajah of staged by the A.D.C. They are Sarawak in the suppression of now to be treated to an entirely we believe, experienced a difficulty piracy. The modern history of different type of entertainment in trouble and anxiety. These were have commenced in 1846 when the production of Glibert & Sul- through the kind assistance of the would be interesting to have the British Government entered livar's famous Opera "Iolanthe" Madras Drainatic Society, but it authentic information as to the into a treaty with the Sultan of by the Philharmonic Society, the is only during the last few days course of the movement. It would Bruneig wherein it is recited that first performance of which com- that the Overture has become seem a subject which should have their desire was "to nencourage mences at 9-15 p.m., on Friday, available, commerce between Her Majesty's December 11, at the Theatre .. Sickness has also rendered

> at the Savoy in London about 40 fady having the misfortune to years ago and was an immediate sprain her ankle and others suffersuccess, and has been revived on several occasions since. It has denghie fever. Also the gentlealways been a favourite with amaenchanting musical numbers, posed but it is hoped will be well whilst Gilbert's satire, almost at its best in this Opera, readily performance is given; if not, an appeals to the sense of humour of

Mansang, took place at Happy has married a Fairy, Iolanthe: an Firstly, a matinee (children half Valley. Cometery yesterday even- unpardonable offence on the part price) is being given on Wednesing, the service being conducted by of the latter punishable by death; day, December 18th, at 4.30; A large number of friends were loves, her has commuted the sen- of a Gilbert and Sullivan producshould be keenly interested. If present, the mourners including tence to penal servitude for life tion, it also includes the "Fairy" Capt. Cumming Mesers J. J on condition that she leaves her, element and therefore is one of Brown, R. B. Robertson, N. H. Husband and never sees him again, the rare Hongkong performances To be near her son, Strephon, suitable for children. As this (half fairy and half mortal), particular performance is likely

Meanwhile the Lord Chancellor, Messre. J. Smith, G. H. Hodgeson, beautiful ward, Phyllis, as indeed sion, have all the House of Peers. Phyllis, however, has already fal-J. S. len in love with Strephon who is an Arcadian Shepherd, but when she sees him fondling Iolanthe (who never grows old) she rejects him and gives her hand, but not her heart, to one of the Lords Eventually matters are satisfactorily explained and the Lord Chancellor is re-united to Iolanthe but as the Fairy Laws explicitly state that 'every Fairy who mar-Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bliss and the Queen is in a quandary. The couse of Charity whilst at the family, Captain, Officers and Lord Chancellor however, with the same time, giving full value for Engineers' Institute, Seemen's In- will put matters right, whereon stitute. Kowloon Dock Drawing the word don't' is added with unromantic sound about the words Office Stuff, Superintendent, Indo-animous approval; the Queen, not Sentry, Private Willis, to marry her, all become Fairles and troubles are at an end. OVERCOMING DIFFICULITIES.

Although the troubles are so easily overcome in the Opera, the Philharmonic Society have found more difficulty in overcoming the man during perhaps their interior jungles of was formally opened by M. Lotsky those which have occurred during them received by the local Post worst period in their hours off North Borney there are believed in the presence of the Diplometac the preparatory stage. First Mr. Office, there are 1,042 ordinary

ducer had to be found. Luckily in Mr. R. R. Davies they have a man with a full knowledge of Gilbert and Sullivan Operas and boundless energy, and it is safe to say that he will uphold the traditions of Gilbert and Sullivan to the full in the production of lolanthe.

The Band parts of these Operas are difficult to obtain so far out East and have caused the Musical Conductor (Mr. S. Collett) much eventually sobtained from India

i several of the Principals hors-de-This Opera was first produced combat during rehearsals, one ing from the local complaint, man talking the leading part teurs largely because of its many among the men, has been indisenough to appear when the first excellent deputy will be available Two points in connection with this The plot is a typically Gilbertian latest effort of the Philharmonic salvation. It offers to China the of the Indo China Co.'s a.s. one, England's Lord Chancellor Society call for special mention. Iolanthe decides to work out her to be well patronised, it would be Ladvisable for all those intending intendent Engineer Sanderson thinking her dead, has allowed early. Anderson's are already (Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co.), himself to fall in love with his busy with bookings for this occa-

Secondly, the bulk of any profits that may accrue are to be given to our local Charities; Hongkong residents, are not being asked to "give" their money to charity, but if they are satisfied that they have had their money's' worth on the occasion of their first. visit to Iolanthe, it is hoped that they will not hesitate to book for a second visit if any seats are available so that there may be no

The s.s. 'Macedonia' is due to arrive on Thursday with the first batch of Christmas mails from Home (letters and papers dated London, November 19, and percels of November 5). According to advance informs

duty. How he evolved a "1,000 to be vestiges of cannibalism, Corps. Russian, Brilish and Ger- W. G. Wheller, who was so suc- parcels and 275 insured packages, character" method and gained the head hunters and tribes who em man firms shared in equipping the cassful in producing The Yeoman. The Christmas mails from Canada. is of the Guard" and The and the U.S. An are on blad the Gondollers" left the Colony early sis. "Empress of Camida." die Hore In the year, and unothlier pro- on December 170

## SPY?

THE NEW MATA HART ARRESTED:

PRYING INTO AVIATION.

(Reuter's Service.)

Paris, Dec. 7.

Great interest is being taken in the case of a young woman; offered to establish reciprocal Marcelle Monseil, otherwise research scholarships, between the nation £19,000,000 is reveale Marthe Moreil, described by the American and Australian univer- in the supplementary astimutes press as "the new Mata Hari," sities. arrested on a charge of being a Mr. Copland, Professor, of mate of £10,000,000 was exceeded

examining magistrate, admitted ships. she had been engaged in espionage work since March last, on ... behalf of certain English mermichanta stated to be dealers in

wireless apparatus. It is also stated she had been investigating the number, make and capacity of aeroplanes at the bases of St. Nazaire, Bordeaux, Bed Hyeres, and St. Raphael, and the organisation of the aerodromes.

Three other persons, stated to be Englishmen, for whom Mon-"It ceil worked, were subsequently brought before the magistrate and examined secretly, after, which all four were taken to prison.

It is stated Monseil nearly eluded the police as she read .... papers giving news of the arrest of a man who was alleged also moto be engaged in espionage, whereupon Monceill immediately destroyed the documents she was carrying, hidden in her clothing.

Mata Hari was a notorious woman spy in, the war. She came originally from Java.]

## NOT YET.

BRITAIN AND RUSSIAN QUESTIONS.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, Dec. 7. din the House, of Commins. Commander Kenworthy asked whether, in view of Chicherin's presence in Paris and the recent conferences with Mi Briand, the Government would it take the opportunity and hold · similar conferences with a view en to the settlement of outstanding ... questions. Mr. Ronald McNeill replied that the Government had received no indication that M. Chicherin desired such a confer-

The Government was not prepared to make those concrete proposals for a settlement of outstanding questions without which a further conference would not serve any useful purpose.

## FRANCE'S FINANCES.

HOW TO FIND THE MONEY

NEW MINISTER'S PLANS.

(Reuter's Scroice.)

Paris, Dec. 7. The scope of the opposition to exercise disagreement is contained in a comprehensive financial policy which M. Loucheur has ing a Sinking Fund, preventing arrive on Dec. 10. fiscal frauds and the flight of capital, altering railway rates and improving methods of collection of income tax.

M. Loucheur hopes ultimately to secure an additional eight milliard francs annually.

## CUSTOM'S DUTIES

(Reuter's Service.)

London, Dec. 8. The House of Commons, after the discussion on the report stage of clause "three of the Safeguarding 'resolutions, passed in committee last week, confirmed and embodied a special Finance Bill entitled The Safeguarding Industries and Customs Duties Bill, which was formally read for the first time.

## SHANGHAI RIOT.

STUDENT REPORTED KILLED.

(Reuleria Service) 🧸

Shanghai, Dec. 7. In defiance of orders by the police and imilitary antudents held an "anti-forcign and anti-Governmen demonstration in Chinese territory

in that evening The military forcibly broke up the crowd and encountered fierce student resistance, necesstating the tiring of a volley overhead, as. result of which a student in reported to have been killed

## NOTABLE SCHEME.

RECIPROCAL RESEARCH SOHEMES.

ROCKEFELLER OFFUR!""

(Reuter's Services)

Melbourne, Dec. 7. The Rockefeller Foundation has

apy in the Hervice of a foreign Commerce in the Melbourne by £9,000,000. Power for the purpose of enquir- University, has been invited to ing about the aviation services of the United States to settle defaits provide for \$1,100,000, the of the scheme which is somewhat Government's share of the Wem-Monseil, interrogated by the similar to the Rhodes Scholar, bley guarantee.

> Candidates must have graduated in economics and commerce.

#### the state of the s FRANCE'S ENVOY.

(Reutor's Service:)"

and the state of t Paris, Dec. 7. Berengea as Ambassador at McNeill. Washington has been confirmed.

## ALLEGED FRAUD.

CHINESE CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY. ...

STORY OF A GAMBUE

ance with the complainant and stone rock. of \$2,000 on the promise of secur- a Malay fisherman and representing for him a position as com- ed the Great Mother. A striking invited to join a gambling party, found in Africa what had been but he refused. Here he was termed the "missing link" had of Leung. Cone of the gamblers Rhodesia.

money and introduced the complainant to Chau. The latter should go into a gambling busi!" ness with Leung. This was agreed to, the complainant acting as banker. Besides losing \$24,000 in cash to Leunz, the complainant also signed I note for \$3,000 which he handed to the same man. Fearing that he would be sued for his money, the complainant then instigated the present charge against the defen-

The case was adjourned unti Thursday.

MOVEMENT OF STEAMER.

The B.T. s.a. "Talma" which embodied in seven separate Bills, was due here to-day from Calcutta including measures creating via Singapore has been delayed by fresh sources revenue, establish- bad weather and is expected to

EX-EMPEROR ILL.



The state of the s Peking, December 4. -- Reports from Tientsin say that Hsuan Tung, deposed Emperor of China, is ill of tuberculosis. "Chicago

Tribune" special service

Manila Bulletin.

## HEAVY BURDEN.

COAL SUBSIDY COSTS £19,000,000, · · ·

PURTHER EP. 100,000 POR WEMBLEY. ASSESSED.

(Router's Service.)

That the coal subside has keen

showing that the original sesti-

At the same time the estimates

"(Reuter's Stroide)"

Paradon, Die. 7. The appointment of Mu. Henri h Office in succession to Mr. Rouald

## ANCIENT CULTURE. "BARLY MAN IN BORNEO

HELENA MAY LECTURE.

pradore through another man feature was the peculiar form of named Chau. On a later visit to headdress which might ultimately the house to obtain a receipt for form the clue to the identity of the money, the complainant was the designers. Dr. Dart who had introduced to a man by the name discovered similar images, in

that he and complainant were of the image on the rock below and the other a man, using an partners in the game, the money, which was the small creek which imitation of Scout Uniform or a paid being his share of the losses. had been a mighty river. At a Scout Budge picked up somowhere Mr. J. M. Remedios, appearing depth-of-four feet in the bank usin passport to the same of operafor the defendants applied for a nearby he found a dozen crucibles toons. as the spot must have been an suggested that the companiant ideal place for a harbour from which these early things made from iron might have been ex-

Prof. Shellshear went on to describe other interesting relics which he found there. After spending a good deal of time in a large cave by the side of the river he set dyaks to dig at its oldest part while he swamin the river to cool himself. These dysks called him with great excitement and on arriving at the spot he found they had dur up a 5 very fine example of a bronze axe. These discoveries formed a junction between the bronze and the

iron ages. A picture of all kinds of stone axes which had been found in. Borneo was shown and the lec-diffeturer said they formed a line of connection between the warly neolithic age right down to the 

There was in a Kuching. Sarawak, a wonderful museum 📜 established by an earlier Rajah who was determined to preserve 5 the whole history of Borneo by endeavouring to prevent anything found there being taken out of the country. Except for the British Museum it had the finest collection of insects and weapons and traces of every form of animals ever seen there.

In conclusion, the lecturer made an appeal. He said they wanted to show the Chinese that they were out to try and develop their country. Could we not study their customs and try and find, out something about their early civilization. There were evidences of it and this ought to be the centre where we could try E and build up the links connecting up their long history. Science had its important side.

The Chairman (Mr. W. W.

Hornell, Vice-Chancellor of the University of Hongkong) thanked the lecturer, saying he had found his remarks of intense interest. He also appealed for more to be done in discovering the early facts of Chinese history: They lived in days in which they were busy

and harassed but, he asked them to remember that Hongkong J. University was not in existence 5 solely for conferring B.A. degrees, large the confines of knowledge of science and history in this part of the world.

## OUR SCOUTS.

PROXING TRUE TO THE FURTHER THE CHINESE ENGINEERING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE PARTY OF THE PA

ing the months when aubour was withdrawing thom, Hongkong is reformed to anothe "Silver Welf," the first number to beyisshed since the organisation was purple the service of the public during that time. The Commissioner writes follows :- The splendid number Scouts who volunteered from the

for special services was an idespiration in itself, especially in view of , the fact this way many scouts were sont away by their parents at once. Repayment of Excess Proin unticipation of dangers which Mr. F. Locker Lampson, has fortimately did not arise owing to Sundries ...... been appointed. Papliamentary the effort made by all same and Balance brought forward Under Secretary in the Foreign loyal members of the Community to

see that order was preserved. In the last few weeks have come many letters of appreciation of the pervices rendered, showing that. Scouts have proved true to the great reputation and tradition of the Brotherhood.

From the points of view of the At the Helena May Institute Scouls themselves, the time has yesterday. Prof. J. L. Shellshear, been full of benefit, for it has enlecturing on "Early Man in abled, them to put, their training A Chinese was charged before Borneo," detailed a visit to Borneo to the valuable test of practical exthe Kowloon Magistracy yester! this year to try and find traces of periones, and many have now day with conspiring with others, the ancient culture of the natives acquired a more than theoretical not in gustody, to defraud an of the land. He spent most of his knowledge of First Aid work. Alson unemployed seaman of \$2,000: time round the mountain of Scout Activities have been wide-The case as outlined by Detec- Santubong at the foot of which spread, for many took the chance tive Inspector Pincott was that the had found a stone image, as aftered by there Pill and in so the defendant claimed acquaint carving of a woman on a sand-deing wedersthie to get a broader induced him to part with a sum. It was discovered in 1886 by view of the secret by their feeding

· " ·" postanti nont.

That Scouting is now generally recognised as a read must in the life of the Colony not only by officials. but also by the public at large is shown by the fact that at the Po-"Hing Fong Disaster, a Scoutmaster lost all his money and claimed. The lecturer showed a picture found two non-scouts, one a lad

## COMPANY REPORT.

The diment general meeting of the shureholders of the Chinese Engineering and Mining Co., Ltdt., The work and the Rev Secretarians on the head in Leader on December 21. 1928, where the Directors' Report . hand Studement of Accounts for the yeur unded June 30, 1925, was sub-

EXPRACE FROM DIRECTORS REPORT. The net result of the year's transactions shows a balanco to the eradit of Profit and Loss Account . ofe E314, 120 made up as, follows;---

Proportion of Knilne Mining Administration's very commencement of the trouble Profits plus China Exchange ......... Interespeta marope ...... Agency F: s ..... fils Duty

> (less sundry items): ..... 185,406 Expenses in Suropes .....£15,561 Cost of New Coupons & Share

Warrants Directore' Press ... 4,200 Incomo Tax ...... 90,485 Interim. Dividend poid 7/5/25 ..... 70,000 £180,311

Begaving a not balance of £314,120

which the Directors regommend should be anproprinted as follows:thinal i Dividend

of 5 per cent. free of Income Tax) ...£70,000 Directors Per / :: contage - 11.4... 2,885 Balance Carried forward ..... 241 235

£314,120

London December 4.—The charremand on the ground that he which had iron slag attached. In addition to the Commission's tered accountents statement of the had only just received instruct thereto and in a quantity of iron better there are interesting articles, accounts of the British Empire Extions. He spoke of the complaint class pottery which might have one fellerilly to the preant suggesting to the defendant been bought in Hongkong to-day, do sik at Junitate train- sent it has been accertained; that that they should carry on Susi- so finely was it made. ... This jug ground, proce coles, and roler the financial, loss is nearly ness as opium smurglers. The must, therefore, have been a place spens to the departure of Sir R. F. 21,600,000. The immediate list defendant said that he Had not of considerable industrial activity. States and Sir R. F. 21,600,000. The immediate list Of considerable industrial activity. Stubbs, and Six Claud. Severn who bility of the guaranters is fixed at. The reason was not far to seek, had taken a keen interest in the fifteen shillings in the pound.—

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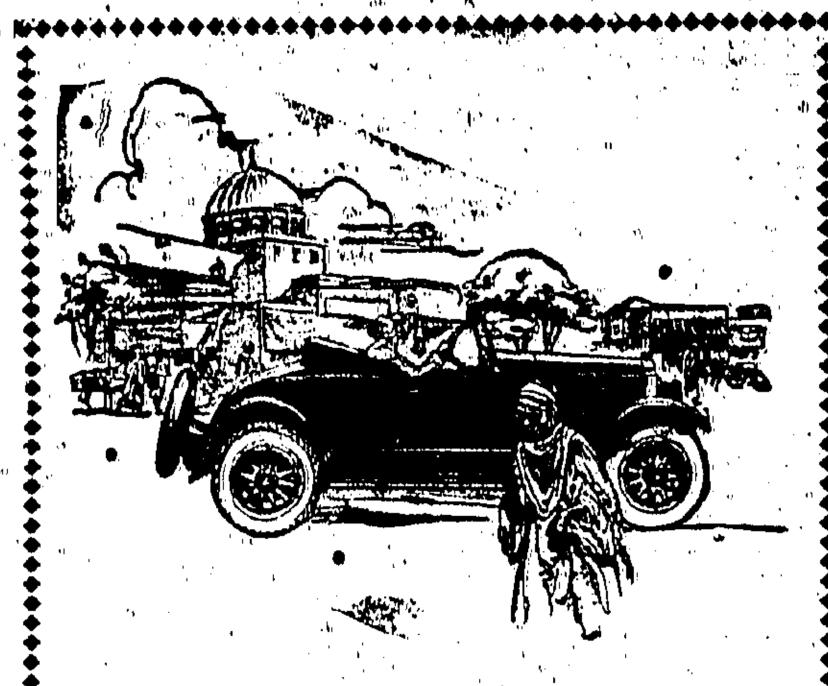
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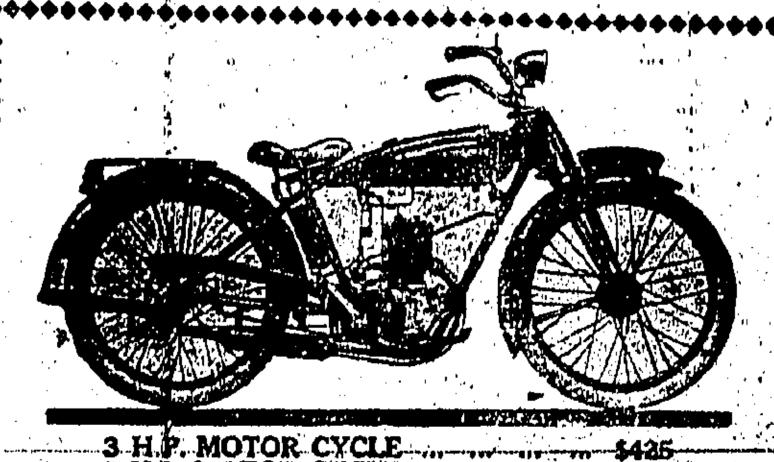
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# LOCAL AND GENERAL.

on in the rider main districts for be held on Friday. two consecutive hours daily.

The new term of St. Stephen's College begins on Monday nexts. Entrance examination is on Friday. 🕟

that at six o'clock yesterday the have arranged to tour the parish temperature at Vladivostock was on two evenings in Christmas week. 17 degrees, at Shanghai 34 and at starting about 8.15. The proceeds Hongkong 56. 🧸

The total output of the Kailan Mining Administration's mines for the week ending November 21 amounted to 79,262 tons, and the Lhasa" has been published. sales to 64,508 tons.

held at 5.15 p.m. on Wednesday, Bosember 16, 1925, in Mar. 19. Lowis Office, Princes Building.

The St. Andrew's Church, Kowleon, "Monthly Messenger" An organisation to encourage selected to study abroad. They peneticable.

A verdict of accidental death was returned at an enquiry conqueted at the Central Magistracy and a few other organisations. resterday into the deah of we will Chinese who was knocked down to accomp of the lorry.

mand the men until Saturday. to combat malaria in the islands. half in Germany.

From to-morrow, it is an- The second annual meeting of nounced that water will be turned the Union Church, Kowloon, is to diseases for the 48 hours ended

> Singapore is to hit we senson and one in Hongkong. Denishawn dancers.

The Christmus Carol Choir of Observatory returns show St. Andrew's Church, Kowloom will be divided equally between Home and local charities.

> known in Hongkong. The book ditions were the same. contains chapters on The Present Situation in China—The Chinese Student—A Tentative Proposal.

membions that there will not be a the consumption of Japanese pro-Watchnight Service on New Year's ducts is to be established and Eve mathe noise of Chingso crackers Baron Yoshiro Sakatani has been renders a service quite im- named president of the new organisation. The decision was reached at an conference of delegates representing the Tokyo Chamber of Commerce, Engineering Administration Association,

by a motor lorry and died from . ... The population of the Ryukyu Professor M. Hayashi, of the his injuries. The jury found that Islands; which lie between Japan Eighth High School, for one year no blame attached to the driver and Formosa, is rapidly dying off, and a half in England; and eight declared S. Sakurai, a health other assistant professors in the officer of the Okinawa prefecture. Tokyo Imperial University. They At a further hearing of the who attended the recent health are Mr. K. Yokota to study for case against eight Shantung men, conference in Tokio. Malaria is two years in France; Mr. T. charged with murder of a coolie blamed principally for the de- Kunizaki, for two years in Engat North Point, before Mr., R. E. crease. In eight villages, not a land; Mr. S. Noguchi, for two Lindsell at the Central Magistracy, single baby has been born for the years in England; Mr. T. Ito, Mr. vesterday, the Magistrate con- last 39 years. In Nozoko village,, S. Emoto, and Mr. K. Arizawa, sidered the evidence insufficient Mr. Sakurai said, one sick old for two years in Germany, refor a conviction by a jury.. To woman was the only inhabitant. spectively; Mr. T. Ide, for meet the wishes of the police, In 1922 an appropriation of 10,000 years in England; and Mr. however, he was prepared to re- yen was made by the government. Fukushima, for one year and a

The return of notifiable Sunday shows two Chinese cases a of enteric fever—one at Kowloon 3

The High Commissioner, Sir Joseph Cook, replying to the toast of "The Dominions" at the Commercial Motor Show luncheon at Olympia, told British manufacturers that now was their chance to take advantage of the new tariff, which allowed unassembled 5 parts of chassis into Australia free, whereas foreign countries must pay 12½ per cent. duty. Australia had imported from A book called "Peking to" America five times more cars It than from Britain, but so far as contains the narrative of the other merchandise was concerned. journeys in the Chinese Empire Britain sent about twice as much The Ordinary Annual Meeting made by the late Brigadier- as America. Australia would of the St. David's Society will be General George Pereira, who was rather buy British cars if con-

Fifteen Japanuse professors

and assistant professors in government institutions have been are Professor J. Narita, of the Tokyo Normal School for Women," who is to study for a year and a half in England: Professor T. Tonoya. of the Nara Higher Normal School for Women, for two years in Germany; Professor H. Shoji, of the Second High Schools for one year and a half in Germany: Professor R. linuma. of the Sixth High School also for one year and a half in Germany;

# SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hewlitt are due to return to the Colony to-the Diocesan Boys' School, left for of Wilhelmina Drucker, Holland's morrow by the "Antenor."

The British Minister to Siam spoke an the Rotarian Dinner at ! the Bangkok United Chib last in Kuala Lumpur was the guest through the window, and it fell

The Rev. T. B. Powell has now by moved to St. Pauli's College Hostel where he will be pleased to meet any member of the congregation St. John's Cathedral, by appoin

grand fancy dress ball at the Peak Club, will be held on Wednesday, 6th January, 1926, at 9.30 p.m. As it will be necessary to limit the number of tickets to be issued, members and subscribers are advised to make early application for their require-

A tribute to the fame of Mr. puffing at a large cigar.

The following bribute appears in John's Cuthedral Notes: The Reverend R. J. Northcott, C.F., to whom the Cathedral owes so much left for home on Derbyshire" last week. The him into close contact with various of time, having regard to a letter Cathedral activities, and his ex- he had received since his appointcellent study circles and most help-ment. It was signed by a prinful sermons were much appreciated! |cipal partner of a large funeral willing and valuable help, and wish were prepared to carry out any him godspeed and every happiness instructions he might leave with and success in his future spheres of

There can seldom have been in any home a family reunion more Prince's return. There was a that of Lord Beaconsfield from delightful informality about the Berlin in 1878, when he brought greetings which clearly touched back "Peace with Honour." In the people's hearts. The Queen the case of Lord Beaconsfield the and to her children's safety, for whi looked an obviously proud and Lord Mayor and Sheriffs of Lon- are of exceedingly great value in even happy woman as she welcomed don were present on his arrival home where there are little ones. most some are who return from a throng. When he reached his discasion and constitution no remedy longish absence to the family official residence. Lord Beacons they are promptly helpful in diarrhoea. Circle. Nothing could have been field reported to the Queen that They are promptly helpful in diarrhoea. 4444444444444444444444444444444

Mr. D. Trafford of the staff of Home on Saturday last.

of Sir George and Lady Maxwell. on the platform at his feet.

Dame Nellie Melba, as a sou- opponents." venir of her thirty-six years' association with Covent Garden, has presented a marble bust of herself, the work of Sir Bertram Mackennal, to the Opera House.

"In the United States there seems to be a restless undercurrent stirring the people. Industries are increasing production and in general conditions are good," thus Judge Harvey on his return to Manila,

Bernard Shaw as the most popu- Isle of Wight from Paris of the was worth hardly more than three lar dramatist in Germany is the marriage of Miss Ena Fitzgerald, cents, the cost of living suddenly fact that a picture of him adorns a young novelist, to Mr. James soared upward. But when the a new brand of cigars displayed Ailson Macmillan, an engineer. lira was again worth more than the tobacconists, windows. Miss Fitzgerald wrote her first four cents, the high cost of living He is shown seated at a writing-knovel at the age of 17. Attracted refused to come down, despite the table, using a quill pen, and by her books the bridegroom lamentations of the people. sought her out, and the romance has now ended in his making her his bride.

Speaking to the Ely Diocesan Conference, the new Dean of Westminster, Dr. Foxley Norris the (late Dean of York), said he wondered whether he was destined to absence of a garrison church brought remain in London for any length: We record with gratitude his always association, and said that they the utmost promptitude andwhat appealed to his feeling for comfort—with the greatest

happy and spontaneous than that The return of Mr. Chamberlain of the Royal Household on the from Locarno has been likened to

Reuter cables news of the death first suffragette.

In one of Lloyd George's early. Mr. Somerset Maugham when campaigns someone threw a brick Picking it up he cried: "Behold the only argument

> Their Imperial Prince and Princess Asaka arrived in Los Angeles last month incognito and visited Hollywood, where they were the guests of the great cînema stars, Mary Pickford, "Douglas, Fairbanks and Charlie Chaplin, and saw the "movie" studies.

The recent increase in the value of the lira, which was expected to relieve the high cost of living, has instead left Italians at loggerheads with the task of News has been received in the making ends meet. When the lira

> The death of Mr. C. J. Bell, of Messrs. David Sassoon & Co., Ltd., Hankow, occurred in the International Hospital on November 28. Mr. Bell entered the hospital recently for treatment of typhoid from which he was suffering. Heart complications set in and his condition became highly critical. Mr. Cyril Bell, called by telegram from Shanghai, arrived only just [ in time to see his brother and be recognized by him before the latter died. Mr. C. J. Bell was a very well-known and popular member of the Hankow community and his loss will deplored by many.

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# "CHINA MAIL" SPORTS PACE

MANLY ART. EWIN WINS TO ROUND

BAST NIGHT'S BOXING.

CONTEST

Able Seamant Ewing the Colony's well-erweight champion won on points in a 10-round contest from Stoker Morrell last night.

An interesting programme had been got up for the Hongkong "Boxing Association's second tournament of the season at which the finals in the novices' competition were also decided. The boxing provided certainly deserved a bigger attendance.

M.E. Vice-Admiral Sir Edwyn Alexander-Sincher (commanding the China Station) was present as were the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, the Hon. Mr. Chow Shou-son and Commodore A. J. B. Stirling, R.N. Local Challenges.

Morrell challenged Ewin to a return contest. It is understood that the champion has accepted. Drummer Bowles over 6 rounds, E.S.R.C. on Thursday at 5 p.m. | spective decisions) follow: challenged his opponent to a re- sharp: -A. J. Frank; C. L. R. turn match over 15 rounds. A. B. Becher, J. Wedlake. (Capt.) Gardner, who beat Bowles on E. F. Stewart, L. P. Ralph, G. R. points over the shorter distance Vallack, A., S. Exell. S. H. last month, also issued a chair Carrod, D. Lyon, J. E. Noronha. lenge to the Drummer over 15 T. J. Price. rounds.

Main Event.

Ewhne (Hermes) and Morrell (Hawkins) both scaled 147 lbs. This 10-round bout went the full distance Ewim's science and ringcraft standing him in good stead. against a gruggedt swinging fighter.

The champion scored mostly by left leads to the head, keeping his timers to the point. "Ewin had a better man. longer reach but Morrell, although more of a scrapper than a boxer. showed excellent defence. and then Morrell fought back nicely but Elvim gradually piled on his points by connecting with both head and body.

Incround 3 Ewim was warned for holding. The latter part of the bout saw him add to his points and he finished up a comfortable winnor.

## Six-Round Bouts.

-EO-Francis (Titania), 175 lbs... beat Stoker, Addison (Hermes), Simpson (Surreys). the closing round when he was Stollery (Hermes). well aheady Addison made all

beat beading Telegraphist Emer- round 2, and four times in the last Barnsley ...... 5 son (Marazion), 12614 lbs., on round. He put up a great show Southampton.19 points in a hard-hitting contest, and received a deserved ovation. Stoke .......... 18 6 3 9 25 35 15 Both men went out to give and Best loser, A. B. Merrill (Carlisle). Notts Forest .. 18. take hard knocks but Baker stood Welters: -A. B. Jackson (Haw-Clapton ...... 17 4 2 11 18 27 10 the pace a little better and his ad- kins) beat A. B. Webb (Titania) Stockport .... 18: 4 2 12 23: 40 10 vantage lowards the end secured one points after a good contest. Fulham ... 18 3 4 11 18 41 10 him the verdiet.

Drummer Bowles (Surreys), [L2), 124 lbs., beat Signalman Rogers Bowles was the better man at [(Surreys) in round I. Best loser, dedging and slipping and won at [A. B. Waugh. long range by being the speedier! Rogers worked for the body in in- [(Hermes) k.o. A. B. McKenzie fighting. After doing most of the (Hermes) in round 1. leading Bowles was put through ! The unit cup was won for the the subsequent rounds gave him who became holders for a year.

## LAWN BOWLS.

KOWLOON GREEN'S CLOSING DAY

PRIZE PRESENTATION.

The Kowloon Bowling Green (lub is to make this Saturday a "gala day."

The Club will be "at home" for the closing of the lawn bowls season proper and prizes will be pre-

#### LOCAL CRICKET.

The following will represent the Hongkong Cricket Club "Outcasts" in a friendly fixture against HM.S. "Hawkins" at home this Saturday, commencing at 1.30 p.m.: - R. Hancock (Capt.) A. C. I. Bowker, A. L. Gace, A. W. Hayward, J. D. Humphreys, H. were played to-day (home team Owen Hughes, E. G. Lammert, g ven first):---A. K. Mackenzie, T. E. Pearce, T. B. Powell, R. E. A. Webster.

The following will represent the Hongkong Hockey Club 2nd Signalman Rogers, who lost to XI v. the Submarines at the

A. B. Pearce (Hawkins), 158: 35ton W.....re 8: bs., easily defeated Stoker Thompsen (Titania), 154 lbs., on points. Pearce made use of his powerful right and was much the better boxes. He had little difficulty in heracting Thompson's wild swings. powerful right in reserve for first- The loser was game against a

. Novices! Finals. During the evening it was antournament.

night and Mr. R. M. Dyer presented the prophies at the end of the «Results were:

Bantoms: -- Ord. Sea. Haugh | Derby C ...... 17 10 5 2 36 16 25 (Hawkins) wo. from Sto. Burgess | Chelsea. ...... 17 9 6 2 39 16 24 (Ambrose) who was not passed Mid Hesbro!, 19:12 0 7 41 35 24 I medically. Best loser. Drummer Old am ......16 9 4 3 32 20 22

1777 lbs. .. on points. Francis was Francis is Marine Hills Portimouth... 196 9 3 7 30 45, 29 Mr. F. G. Walker. the more aggressive throughout (Hermes) best A. B. Beach (Haw- | Port Vale ... 18 0 2 7 37 30 20 The accounts have been audited and tried hard for a knock-out in kins) on points. Best loser, A. B. Bridford E ... 17 7 4 5 23 17 18 by Messes. Linstead & Davis, who

Lights:—Cook Cooper (Hermes) splendid recovery in the fourth beat Ldg. Sea. Carter (Carlisle) on Wolves ......17 .7 3 7 28 27 17 sion of the question of extensive points. Carter was sent to the Hull City......18, 8 L. S. Baker (Hermes), 183 lbs.; boards thrice in round 1, once in Darlington 6

Best Joser, A. B. Reynolds (s.m. Middles: -- Marine Watts (Tamar), 121 1/2 lbs., on points. (Hermes). k.o. Pte. Roberts

. Heavies: - Marine Streatfield

the ropes in round 3. His left in first time by H.M.S. "Hermes"



Hard-indeed, is the off-season life of whig league baseball player. Here is Walter Johnson with his wife and kiddles at their Winter home, Daytone Beach, where the king of pitchers will rest until called for the Spring The state of the s training grind:

## HOME SOCCER.

MORE ENGLISH F.A. CUP REPLAYS.

READING WIN AT LAST.

. (Reuter's Service.) .

London, Dec. 7. Replays in the first round proper of the F.A. Cup resulted:-Bradford 2. Lincoln City 1. [The winners visit Boston for round 2

this Saturday. Reading 2, Torquay 0. [Reading receive Leyton in round 2.] Blyth Spartans 1, Hartlepools 1. Kettering 2. Worcester City 0. The winners are at home to Grimsby on Saturday.

English League. The following league matches

Burnley 3, Birmingham 13 Division II. Portsmouth 4, South Shields 2

Division I.

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

Division 1.

Goals P W. D. L. F. A. Pts Sunderlandi, 20 pr 5 50 35 26 Arsenal ...... 19 11 4 4 44 31 26 1 1. W. Shewan. Vston Villa... 18 8 7 3 44 30 23 Happy "Valley Championship Huddsfield 47 8 7 2 35 25 23 (1925) was not played. sufficient points to get the deci- Manch Un...18 9 4 5, 32 22 22 Captain's Cup (1924) Mr. R. A. W. Bromwichit8 8 5 5 40 32 21 Camidge. Fottenham...10" 8: Shefflel'di (7,...19) 8 3 7 46 38 19 Birmingham...10 8 3 8 30 31 51 10 A. B. Stewart and W. Galloway. 6 5 26 19 18 Nowcastle U. 17 6 .5. 0.30.31. UZ Everton...... 10 5 7 7 38 42 17 West, Ham...10" 8" 1-10-25, 39-17 Notts County 10 6 4 9 29 33 16 Jun 110 City . 10 7 2 10 26 34 16 Wackburn ... 10 5, 5, 9, 42 40, 15, Lends Ut. ... 18 6. 3 0.25 30 15. nounced that prizes would be given | Crivester ..... 18: 5 4 9 35 43 14 "best losers" in the novices" him ............ 6 2 9 20 42 14 matchev. Shanghal was played at Wichester C. 10 4 5 10 43 54 13 The finals, were decided last | Burnley ...... 18 4 5 9 28 51 13 Division II.

Goals P. W. D. L. F. A Pt. Wednesdoy . 18 th 3 4 43 23 25 Blackpool ..... 19 8 2 0 37 31 18 offer themselves for re-election. Preston N. E 20 8 2 10 36 48 18 5 8 31 38 17 Fanling. 5 4 9 20 22 14

## FLYWEIGHT TITLE.

HOLDER'S ILLINESS BRINGS POSTPONEMENT

CONDITION NOT SERLOWH.

(Associated Press.):

Los Angeles, Nov. 27. The illness of Fidel La Barba saused the indefinite postponement to-day of his bout with Clever Sencio of Manila scheduled December 2:.. (United Press.)

Jos Angeles, Nov., 27. The championship match between the Filipino Clever Sencio and Fidel Im Barbu scheduled for December 2 has been postponed. Las Barba's manager announced that his champion had developed a Colleen 1st 5.08 4700.48 3.55.40 bad race of tensilitis and would Diana 2nd not be able to continue his train- Paleon ing. It is understood that he may require un operation and this may keen him out of the prize ring for

at fend three menths. nlow to Sencio who was primed for the light of his life. He said that he would continue training and try Theclu to arrange a bont or two with other Byweighte,

(United Press.)

Los Angeles, Nov. 30. It was learned that Fidel La Barba's condition is not serious. He nay resume framing within a week. Loud complaints have been rwaed in some quarters where it is suid that the bout was postponed without adequate reason.

## GOLF CLUB.

REPORT FOR ANNUAL MEETING.

1,542 NAMES ON BOOKS.

The annual report to be presented at the annual general meeting of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club at the board room of Messra, Jardine, Matheson & Co., litd., on December 15, reads as visited Oxford and played the

ber 30, 1925, 94 resident members, enthusiastic reception from and 23 members of the junir large crowd. Although beaten b Honorary members. 4

Life members ..... 4 Full members ..... 456 Restricted members 70 Non-playing mem-Absent members .. 847

Naval subscribers . . 25

Military subscribers 26 Junior section:— Resident members . . 66 Absent members ... 21

In addition 398 ladies are registered as being granted the use League tables to date (in re- of the courses and club houses. The Championship (1924) was

won by Mr. A. B. Stewart, the

runner-up being Mr. I. W. Shewan Other competitions resulted as

Jasper Clark Cup (1924) Mr.

4 7 35 32 20 Governor's 4 7 37 40 20 Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., ladi., represented by Mesars.

"for the second year in succession. Junior Championship (1925) Mr. H. G. Hegarty. Junior Section Champlonship

1925) is not yet completed. One Interport match v. Manila was played at Hongkong and won by Mongkong. One Interport Shanghai and resulted in a tie.

The following served on the general committee: Mr. A. H Ferguson (president), Mr. G. S. Archbutt (cantain), Mr. W Adamson (whose place was later taken by Mr. G. H. Wilson), Mr. L.S. Greenhill, Mr. H. U. Ireland, Mr. J. D. Kinnaird, Mr., C. D. Lambert, Mr. R. E. Macdougall, South Shields 19 9 3 7 34 32 21 Mr. C. A. Peel, Mr. J. B. Ross and

. Other business to come before I 9 23 24 17 repairs to the club houses at

## "WHITE WINGS."

LADIES' CHAMPIONSHIP RACES.

RESULTS OF FOURTH SERIES.

Nine yachta turned out yesterday for the fourth ladies championship races of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club season,

In the good breeze two fine races 51/2 miles was from the Club to mond. Lyemun Beacon, Cust Rock Buoy,

Starters were: - Diana (Mrs. Arthur), Colleen (Miss Hazeland), Falcon (Miss Shaw), Gael (Mrs. Bailward), Thecla (Mrs. Barraclough), Joan (Mrs. Davison) Gladys (Mrs. Adams), Sealark were sounder behind the scrut (Mrs. Crane) and Bluenose (Mrs. Mitchell).

Results follow:-Handicap Class.

Finishing Corrected H'cap Time 56 4.00.22 3.59.26 4.40 4.06.05 4.01.25 · Hayward Hoys and Guels.

Finishing Corrected H'cup Time Time Scalark 1st 4.24 4:14.66 4.13,32 The presponement Avas a severe Gledys 3nd. 1,24 4.15.48 4.14.84 · 1.24 · 4.18.21 · 4.14,67 4.40 4.20.50 4.18.10 1.52 4.18.51 4.16.59 Points To Date.

> Handicap Class: Diana 22 Colleen 20, Falcon 18. Hayward Heys and Gaels:-Sealark 28, Thecla 27, Bluenos 24, Gladys 21, Gael 21, Joan 17

A note appears in the Queen

Perk Rangers programme asking spectators to refrain from shout-Promoters for the match said ing to players. Some yell, "Hold but nothing would be done toward it," and at the same time others will be the HARD COUCHS.

## GERMAN RUGBY.

FRANKFORT TEAM AT

SOLITARY TRY CHEMEED.

(Times of Ceylon.)

London, Nov. 16. The Frankfort Sports Clubreturn match with the Universit During the year ended Septem- Greyhounds. They received a

section joined the club, the mem- | 32 points to 3 after a clean an bership now standing as follows: vigorous game, they gave a cap ital account of themselves. The were quite good in the scrums but slow in breaking up. Behind the scrum they lacked combination and their tacklin

> They scored a try in the seconhalf which was loudly cheered The Greyhounds entertained th visitors to dinner in the evening

was weak.



TATE JAS DOOLLITTIVE

Lieut, James Doolittle, U.S.A., won the Jacques Schneider cup for seaplanes when he attained a speed of 232 miles an hour, defeating international fliers.

## BACK OF SCRUM.

WHY WOOLWICH BEAT "SANDHURST.

(Times of Ceylon.)

London, Nov. 18. At rugger Woolwich beat Sand were sailed. The course of about hurst by 12 points to 6 at Rich

There was fine weather, game was fast and hard an neither side gave any quarter. The game was an object less

to many first-class sides. While there was little to choose between the packs. Woolwig tive, their passing was clean as

they tackled hard. Woolwich led after ten minute Proudlock scoring-a try, und the posts, Johnson converting Garner then scored a try Sandhurst. Then Proudlock dro ped a goal and Black added a t for Woolwich.

The pace was not slacken after the interval. Sandhurst maintained a pro-

longed pressure, which resulted in Lloyd scoring an unconverted try. It was Woolwich's third secutive victory.

It has long been felt that an international Rugby footballer should wear some emblem. Now the Rugby Union is to give him a tie of a rose-coloured background with tiny white roses. Old Scottish, Irish, and Welsh internationals are asking it their unions will follow the example of

pion and fully recovered Meen of thing can only bewilder a play. The danger of infinenza is its terwhile Sencio is going absed with er, and, after all, the man with the pneumonia. Been some cold-before to 

## LOCAL SHARE MARKET.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong

HONGKONG DECEMBER 8, 1925, 10.80 a.m.

Hongkong

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| ed                 | do. C. P. & O. Bank                              | £13½ n.<br>£9½ n.                                 | £13½ n.<br>£0½ n.                         | £12 n.<br>£10½ n.        |
| ıg                 | Bank of East Asia                                | \$85 n.                                           | <b>\$8</b> 0 n.                           | \$ 80 8.                 |
| ıd                 | Marine Insurances. Canton Insurance              | 600 n.                                            | 600 b.                                    | \$ 600 b                 |
| d.<br>he           | China Underwriters                               | 2,15 b.<br>T 140 n.                               | 2.15 b. & ва.                             | 2.10b. 2.30s.            |
| 0                  | Union Insurance                                  | , 250 b. & sa.<br>35 b.                           | 249 n.                                    | \$250 s.                 |
|                    | Fire Insurances.                                 |                                                   | 35% b.                                    | 36 b.                    |
|                    | China Fire Insurance H.K. Fire Insurance         | 160 n.<br>600 n.                                  | 160 b.                                    | \$ 200 n. 590 n.         |
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| ļ                  | Hongkong Steamboats                              | 23; n.                                            | 32 n<br>231/4 n.                          | 40 n.<br>23 b.           |
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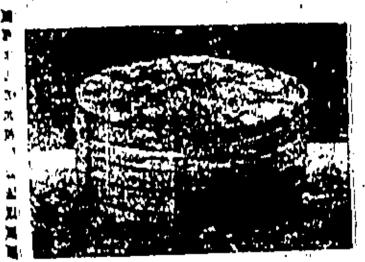
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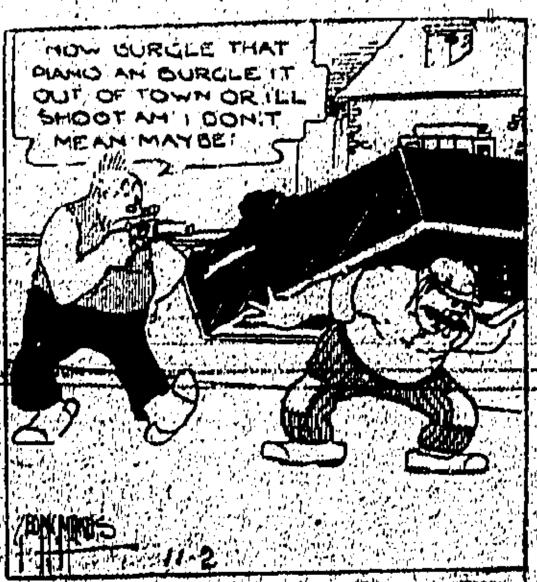
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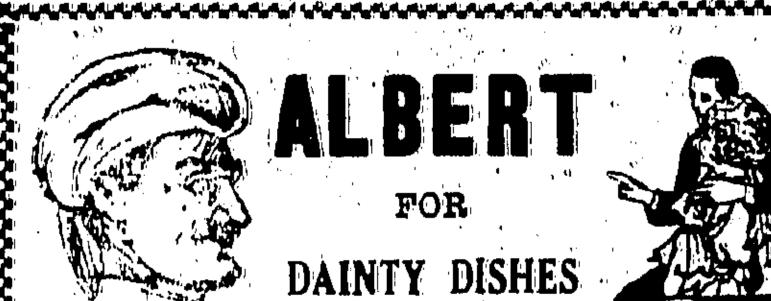
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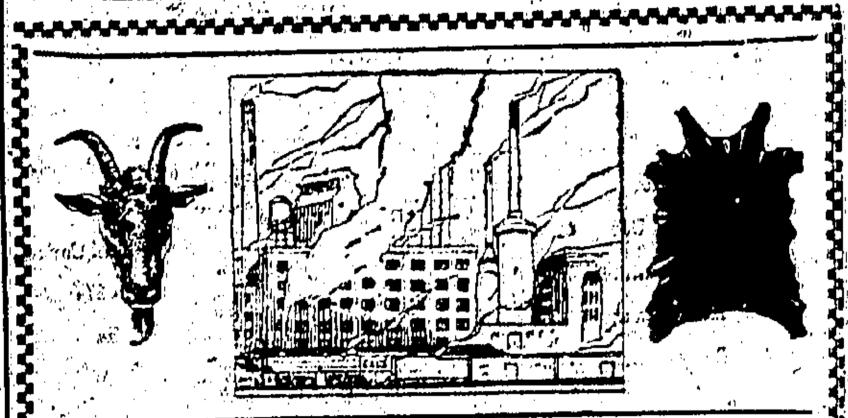
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THE SEVENTH ORDINARY IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that YEARLY MEETING OF L on and after WEDNESDAY. HAREHOLDERS in the above the 9th inst., THE SUPPLY OF Company will be held at the WATER TO ALL the RIDER Offices of the Company, St. MAIN DISTRICTS will be con-George's Building, Victoria, Hong- trolled by bringing the RIDER MAINS into operation and that Water will be Turned on to each RIDER MAIN daily for Two Consecutive Hours. Information as to the Hours of Supply to any Particular Property may be obtained on application at the office of the" for Chinese Affairs, or at the Tung Wah Hospital.

> HAROLD T. CREASY Water. Authority,

Public Works. Department. Hongkong, 7th Dec., 1925.

## NOTICE.

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Company, and ceased to sign as BANQUE FRANCO-CHINOISE POUR LE COMMERCE ET L'INDUSTRIE.

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Hongkong 2nd December, 1925.

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